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I documented Rogusa Rose (*Rosa Rogusa*) growing in Perryville. The roses are planted in the cemetery, but also look as though they have spread a little further. If there is a desire to control these shrubs so that they don't have an impact on the environment then there are several ways to manage them. One is to dig up the plant including all the roots and burying them a couple feet or more under the soil. This is very time and labor intensive. Another management practice for this species is to use a combination of digging and a herbicide labeled for that use. A great on-line resource to learn more about the management of invasive plants is:

http://aknhp.uaa.alaska.edu/botany/akepic/non-native-plants-alaska/ If you have any questions please give me a call.